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## City Council Regular Meeting

**DEPARTMENT:** Capital Engineering

**FROM:** Randall Morrison, PE, Director of Capital Engineering

**MEETING:** March 3, 2025

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**SUBJECT:**

Consider and take possible action on a resolution authorizing an Advance Funding Agreement (AFA), in the amount of \$253,000.00, with the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) for SH174 Widening Project (Project #197405) and authorize the City Manager to sign on behalf of the City. (Staff Contact: Randy Morrison, PE, Director of Capital Engineering)

**SUMMARY:**

This project consists of widening SH174 to six lanes from Elk Drive to Wicker Hill Road. The City has led and funded the design of the Project, while TxDOT will manage and primarily fund Construction. To keep the signal poles consistent with the latest City Standards, the City needs to contribute funds to upgrade the galvanized signal poles to powder coated black poles. The following intersections will be upgraded:

- Hulen Street & SH174
- Commons Drive & SH174
- John Jones Drive & SH174
- Elk Drive & SH174

Per the proposed AFA, the City will contribute the amount of \$253,000.00 for the local government's participation in the project. The city will be 100% responsible for these costs and the related cost overruns. TxDOT will manage and oversee the construction phase of the project.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Consider and take possible action on a resolution authorizing an Advance Funding Agreement (AFA) with the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) for SH174 Widening Project (Project #197405) and authorize the City Manager to sign on behalf of the City.

**PRIOR ACTION/INPUT (Council, Boards, Citizens):**

- The City Council approved a resolution of support for the SH174 Widening Project, authorizing the AFA between the City and State of Texas on February 15, 2021.

- The City Council approved an amendment to the Engineering Services Contract (CSO#1408-06-2020) with Kimley-Horn and Associates for design of the SH174 Widening Project on May 1, 2023.

**REFERENCE:**

N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

Project Number :197405

Amount: \$253,000.00

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